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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:) Unbonded System for Strength Testing
Gary Workman) of Concrete Masonry Units
Serial No.: 10/712,943)
Filed: November 13, 2003) Group Art Unit: 1771
Examiner: Desai, Anish P.

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AND
WITHDRAWAL OF FINALITY OF ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

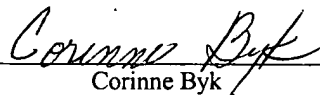
Applicant requests reconsideration and allowance of the application.

REMARKS

Claims 1-18 are pending in the application. Claims 1-6 are rejected. The status of claims 7-18 is not understood. As such, the finality of the action ought be withdrawn.

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